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(54) Title: A COMPOSITION CONTAINING CARVACROL AND THYMOL FOR USE AS A BACTERICIDE			
(57) Abstract <p>The present invention relates to a composition containing the natural substances carvacrol and thymol. The amount of carvacrol is 5 ppm to 90% by dry weight, the amount of thymol is 5 ppm to 80% by dry weight, and the weight ratio between carvacrol and thymol is from 1:5 to 10:1. The composition exhibits a synergistic bactericidal effect against <i>Treponema</i> which causes severe muco-hemorrhagic diseases, such as swine dysentery and severe diseases affecting the hoofs of hoofed animals, particularly cloven-hoofed animals, such as ruminants. The composition is suitably administered to an animal via the diet or via the drinking water or via a drench bath.</p>			